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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Ikuo KAWAMOTO et al.

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For:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 10, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 12, 2003 for one month from September 12, 2003 to October 12, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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